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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" mailed July 30, 2001, enclosed please find a copy of a "Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney" document executed by Gabriel Raviv, Ron Rolfsen and Robert Tarasewicz, in connection with the above-identified continuation application of prior application serial no. 09/225,754, filed on January 5, 1999. Additionally,

please find enclosed a substitute specification as is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.52. A copy of the Notice is also enclosed.

The declaration and specification are being submitted after the two month time period for response but within the first month of extension. The required surcharge fee of \$65.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) and the fee for the one month extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) are enclosed herewith. Also, please note that small entity fees are being submitted in accordance with the Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status and Request for Refund being submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the amount enclosed or any additional fees with may be required to Deposit Account No. 13-2855. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

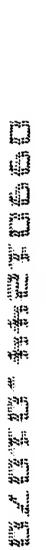
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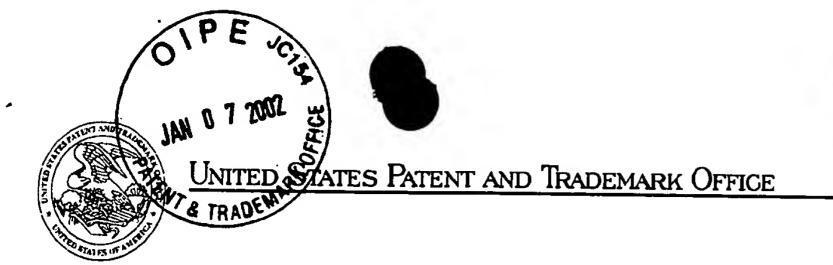
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.

 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
 - Papers contain improper margins. Each sheet must have a left margin of at least 2.5 cm (1") and top, bottom and right margins of at least 2.0 cm (3/4")

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